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Green Job & Environmental Science Training Available

Information Workshops on November 11 and 18

Individuals interested in developing their skills and knowledge by preparing for career opportunities in the Environmental Science and Green Industries field will want to attend one of two information sessions hosted by the Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network on November 11 and 18, 4:00 pm, at the Center for Working Families, 1900 Atlantic Avenue, 2nd Floor, Long Beach, 90806. There is no charge for the sessions.

The no-cost training programs include industry certifications, as well as life and job skills training. Program graduates will receive job placement assistance.

To qualify for the program individuals should be 17 - 30 years of age and have, or be able to obtain, a valid California driver's license. Priority will be given to individuals who live in within the cities of Long Beach, Signal Hill, Lomita and Torrance.

Training Certifications could include: First Aid/CPR, Occupational Health and Safety Act (OSHA 30), Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER 40), Confined Spaces, Asbestos Abatement, Lead Abatement, and Mold and Moisture Control.

Funding for these training programs is provided by the federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

The Workforce Investment Network is an Equal Opportunity Employer/Program. Auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individuals with disabilities. To request a reasonable accommodation, please call 562.570.3738 or TTY 562.570.4629, at least 72 hours prior to event.

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